PATENT APPLICATION



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Docket No: Q79010

Masaya KATAYAMA

Appln. No.: 10/743,869

Group Art Unit: 3654

Confirmation No.: 9349

Examiner: John Quoc Nguyen

Filed: December 24, 2003

For:

ROLL SUPPORT MEMBER AND RECORDING MATERIAL PACKAGE EMPLOYING SAME

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A petition and the required fee are submitted herewith for an extension of time of one (1) month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 18, 2005, from September 18, 2005 to October 18, 2005,

In response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2005, Applicants elect the species of Group 2, Figures 5-9, without traverse.

If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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